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10/812,134 Rebecca Wright March 29, 2004 1711 Susan W. Berman 3086,EEM

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To: Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir,

This is in response to the Office Action mailed 12 March 2007.

Claims 1 to 23 are pending and claims 1 to 23 have been rejected.

Included with this response are:
Petition for Extension of Time and Fees
Text of Clalms Currently under Examination
Remarks
Declaration under CFR 1.132

Kindly enter the amendments as shown in the Text of Claims Currently under Examination.

Reconsideration and allowance in view of the amendments and remarks is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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